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1. SUMMARY: UN HAS DECIDED NOT HOLD MEETINGS SCHEDULED TAKE PLACE GENEVA JULY 24/25 ON AFGHAN DRUG CONTROL PROGRAM. END SUMMARY.

2. SCHURMANN/MARTENS INFORMED MISOFF JULY 18 THAT IN LIGHT AMBASSADOR NEUMANN'S RECOMMENDATION AND CONSULTATIONS OTHER MISSIONS GENEVA THEY HAD DECIDED NOT HOLD MEETINGS ON AFGHAN DRUG CONTROL PROGRAM SYCHEDULED FOR JULY 24 /25. SCHURMANN SUBSEQUENTLY GAVE MISOFF ADVANCE COPY OF LETTER HE SENDING JULY 18 TO GENEVA MISSION CHIEFS OF GOVTS INVITED TAKE PART THESE MEETINGS. TEXT OF LETTER READS AS FOLLOWS:

"I HAVE THE HONOR TO INFORM YOU, WITH REFERENCE TO MY LETTER OF 26 JUNE 1973, THAT THE RECENT HAPPENINGS IN AFGHANISTAN HAVE CAUSED US TO CONSULT WITH SOME GOVTS AND ORGANIZATIONS INTERESTED IN OUR PROGRAM AND THAT WE HAVE COME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT IT IS PREFEREABLE IN THE PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES, NOT TO HOLD THE MEETING PLANNED FOR 24/25 JULY 1973.

"I MUCH REGRET THAT WE HAVE BEEN FORCED TO TAKE THIS STEP AND TRUST THAT WE SHALL SOON BE ABLE TO CONVENE A MEETING FOR ANOTHER DATE, OF WHICH I SHALL THEN IMMEDIATELY INFORM YOU."

3. AS POINT OF INTEREST THAT MAY ALREADY HAVE OCCURRED OTHERES, DITTERT NOTES THAT AFGHAN LAW OUTLAWING NARCOTICS PRODUCTION WAS ENACTED 1957 DURING PREVIOUS ADMINISTRATION OF DAUD.BASSIN

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